# City of Spartanburg

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# Getting Started

- First recycling program started in the late 1980's.
- Research for change and improvement began in 2009. The intent was "to improve our recycling program for the City..."

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Curb Sorter
CAUTION FREQUENT STOPS
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## Old ways

- Divided trucks, 2 people/truck
- 16 gallon bin
- One pickup/week
- Items accepted:
  - Newspaper
  - Number 1 & 2 plastic bottles
  - Aluminum
  - Glass (brown, clear, & green)

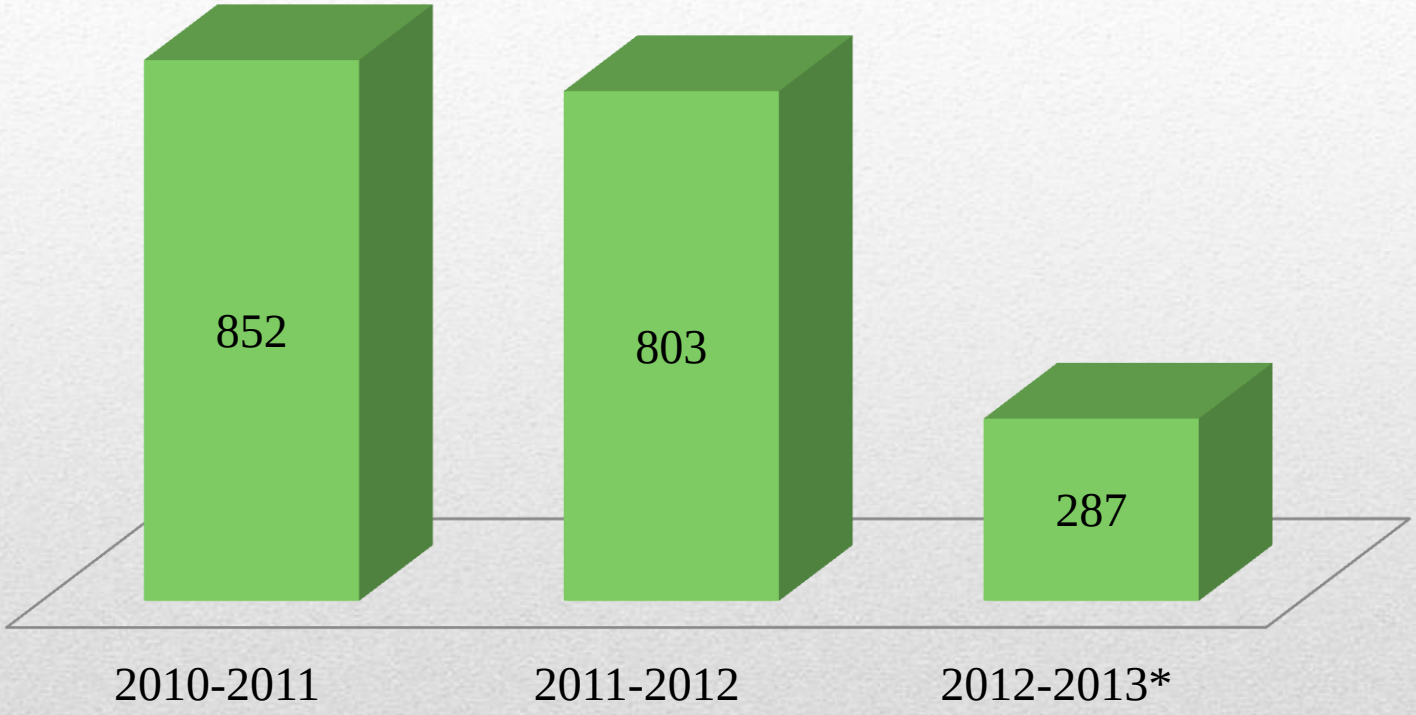
## New ways

- Automated side loader, 1 person/truck
- 96 gallon container
- Two pickups/month
- Items accepted:
  - Newspaper
  - Number 1 & 2 plastic bottles
  - Aluminum & tin
  - Cardboard

# Turning Point

842

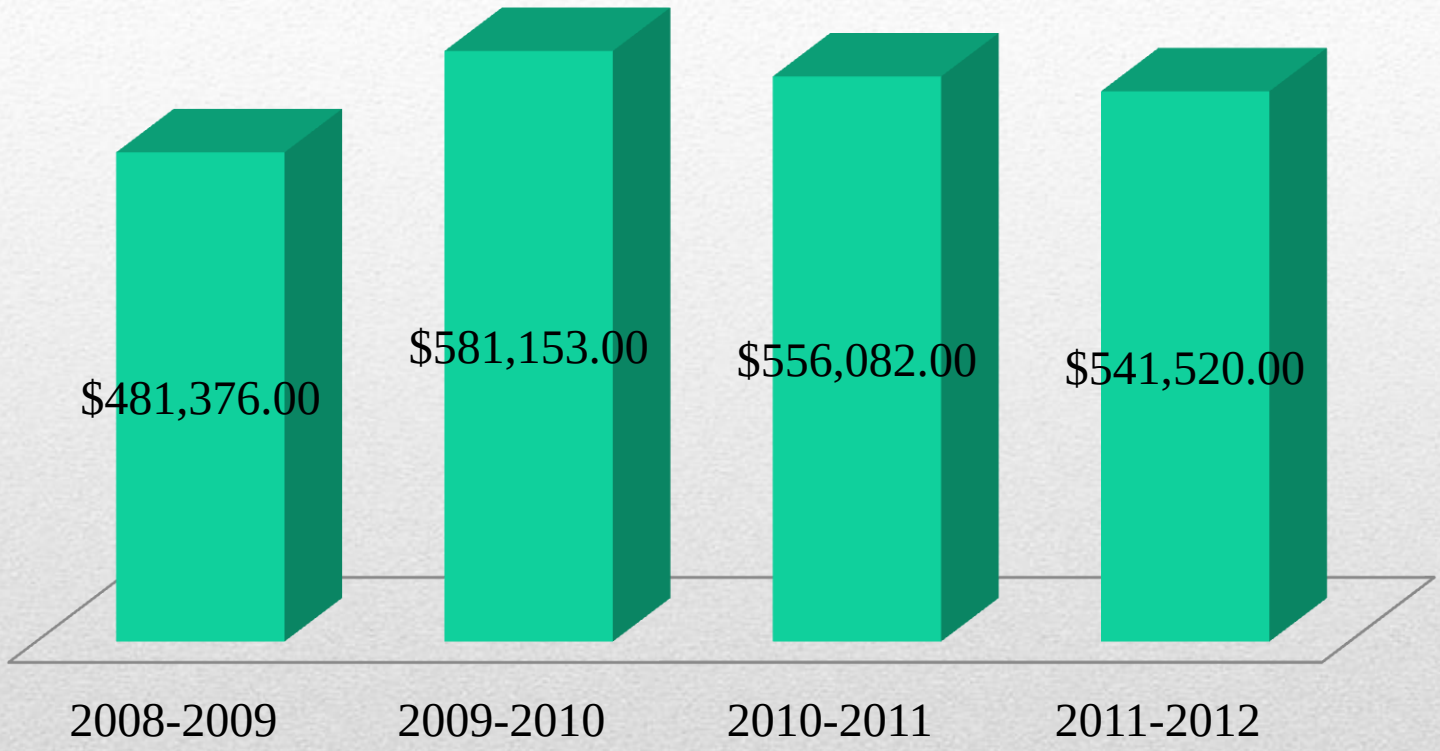
# Tonage




Data is not comparable to the reports pre-2010 due to collection method. The previous recycling program measured the amount of bins collected versus the current program measuring by the weight collected.

*Tonage collected as of September 30 for the current fiscal year.

# Costs


$481,376.00
$581,153.00
$556,082.00
$541,520.00
2008-2009
2009-2010
2010-2011
2011-2012

FOR SERVICE PLEASE PLACE YOUR RECYCLING CART OUT FOR PICKUP BY 7:30 AM ON THE 1ST AND 3RD MONDAY OF THE MONTH

City RECYCLING PROGRAM

City of
**SPARTANBURG GUIDELINES for Recycling**

NOW ACCEPTING GLASS

For Information Call
864•596•3690
spartanburgrecycling.com

Please put ONLY APPROVED Items in your recycling cart.

Glass Bottles and Jars

Empty Metal and Aluminum Cans

All Paper and Boxboard

Plastic

Flat Corrugated Cardboard

City RECYCLING PROGRAM

NONE OF THE FOLLOWING: *Garbage, Extra Trash, Food, Plastic Bags, Yard Trimmings, Hazardous Waste, Hard Back Books, Hand Towels, Tissue/Toilet Paper, Plastic Coated Paper, Styrofoam.*
ONLY RECYCLING GOES IN THIS CART.

CITY OF SPARTANBURG For Information Call 864•596•3690
or visit WWW.SPARTANBURGRECYCLING.COM

(IF THIS RECYCLING CART IS USED FOR OVER FLOW GARBAGE OR OTHER UNAUTHORIZED WASTE, WE WILL PICK UP THE CART AND DISCONTINUE YOUR RECYCLING SERVICE. PLEASE SEE ABOVE FOR ACCEPTABLE ITEMS.)

# Continuing to change

Number 1-7 plastics and glass are now collected.

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## RECYCLING PROGRAM

■ do your part ■ fill the cart ■